REPLY TO MR. MOORE

GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS BELITTLE THE INCOME TAX TEST CASE.

They Say on Injunction is Not the Proper Remedy, and that It Is Prohibited by the Statutes.

EXPLANATION BY SPRINGER

HE MAKES CLEAR PROVISIONS OF THE SUBSTITUTE CARLISLE BILL.

Talk with the Austrian Minister on Our Relations with His Country-The Favored Nation Clause.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.-Assistant Attorney-general Whitney has filed in the District Supreme Court a demurrer to the complaint of John G. Moore against Commissioner Miller, of the Internal Revenue Bureau, in which he asks for an injunction restraining the latter from collecting the income tax authorized by the new tariff. The demurrer is very brief and general in its terms, setting forth that the complainant has not made such a case as entitles him in a court of equity to the relief sought. At the request of Mr. Whitney the case is set, for hearing on Jan. 8. The case is attracting little attention among government officials, many of whom express the opinion that the complainant has absolutely no case. The officials of the Department of Justice regard the constitutional question as settled by a series of Supreme Court decisions, beginning with the Hylton case in 1796, when three members of the constitutional convention were on the bench, and ending with the case of Springer vs. the United States in 1881. They also believe that the plaintiff will find it impossible to raise the ceeding, because an injunction is not the proper remedy in such a case and is, in c. expressly prohibited by the Revised Statutes. They believe that Mr. Moore will have to wait till the collection of his tax is attempted. A somewhat similar attempt was made by the State of Mississippi, in 1867, to enjoin President Johnson from ex-ecuting the reconstruction acts, but the me Court held that a court could not terfere in this way to prevent the exe-tion of acts claimed to be unconstitu-

CARLISLE'S CURRENCY BILL. Provisions of the Substitute Measure

Explained by Springer. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.-Representative Springer gives the following summary, intended as a popular explanation of the currency bill, as modified by the late Carlisle

"In the first place the Carlisle bill pro-poses a radical change in the manner of securing the bank-note circulation. The rapid payment of the public debt, the lim-ited number of bonds now outstanding and the further fact that many of them are held in trust capacities in this country and as permanent investments by persons residing abroad, have rendered the kind of security now required impracticable. The Carlisle bill proposes for security of the circulating notes of the national banks, instead of United States bonds, a guarantee fund consisting of legal-tender notes or currency certificates to the amount of 30 per cent. of the circulation applied for; also, a of the circulation applied for; also, a half of 1 per cent. per annum on the cir-culating notes until it reaches 5 per cent. of the whole circulation; and, as a further of the whole circulation, and the assets security, a first lien upon all the assets of the banks upon the amount which may be realized by the double hability feature of the national banking law.

"The guarantee fund of 30 per cent., the seets of the bank and the personal lia-ility of the stockholders can only go to he payment of the circulating notes of he bank which is ues them, but the 5 per cent. guarantee fund raised by a tax upon all the circulation of the country is a common fund out of which the notes of any failed bank may be paid, if the guarantee fund, the assets and personal liabilities of the stockholders are not sufficient. Thus the stockholders are not sufficient. Thus on a circulation of \$200,000,000, the present national bank circulation, the safety fund would amount to \$10,000,000, and this whole fund could be drawn upon to pay the notes of any bank that failed. This security is considered ample by the safest financiers and bankers of the country. The currency bill as amended does not compel national banks to enter into the new system. They may continue under the old law, but it is thought that banking officials will soon see the advantage of the new plan and adopt it." unt to \$10,000,000, and this whole the advantage of the new plan and adopt it."

AUSTRIA MAY PROTEST. Our Trenty Provides Against Discrim-

inating Duties. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28 .- Mr. Von Henglemuller, the new Austrian minister, who has just arrived from Vienna, was seen today concerning the reports that Austria would follow the course of Germany, first in protesting against the American tariff on sugars and then in retaliating against the products of this country. The minister gave

the first interview had with him in this

The Austrian government has, not up to the present time," said Mr. Henglemuller, "taken any steps on the American tariff. The relations with the United States have always been most cordial, and I have no doubt they will remain so by a satisfactory arrangement of the sugar duties. The treaty between Austria and this country contains the most favored nation clause, assuring to each country that no higher or discriminating duties shall be imposed than are placed on the products of other countries. At the time this treaty was made Austria was paying a bounty on sugar. The bounty system

had been in operation for years, ever since the industry was in its infancy, so that the treaty with the most favored nation clause was made with full recognition of the bounty system in Austria. The Austrian bounties are gradually being lowered as the sugar industry becomes more self-supporting and before long the entire bounty system will be done away with. But the course of Austria in paying bounties is entirely an internal matter in no way concerning other coutries. So far as outside countries are concerned, its relations are governed by existing treaties and, in the case of the United had been in operation for years, ever since isting treaties and, in the case of the United States, the treaty was made with the boun-

Mr. Von Henglemuller was asked as to the effect of the American tariff in Austria. "There has not yet been time to feel the effects of the new tariff," he replied, "but the McKinley law had a serious effect on our industries. The sugar industry of Austria is very great, and it will undoubtedly be affected by the increased American duty on sugar. But the fixing of tariff rates, high or low, is an internal question for the United States to determine, and the only concern of Austria is to see that it is not concern of Austria is to see that it is not singled out or higher duties than those allowed to most favored nations."

The confidence of the new minister that rendly commercial relations will continue appears to be based entirely on the Austro-American treats. American treaty, although the new tariff law fixes discriminating duties without reference to existing treaty relations.

MARKETS FOR CORN. Countries That Use the Cereal and Amount Supplied by America. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.-United States Consul Lathrop, at Bristol, England, has furnished to Secretary Morton some interesting tables, showing the corn-importing countries of Europe, from which it appears that eight countries imported, during the fiscal year, last past over 134,000,000 bushels of corn. Of this amount, the United Kingdom took over 70,000,000 and Germany nearly 33.000,000 bushels. France took 10,500,000 and Holland and Austria-Hungary each took 6,500,000; Belgium took nearly 5,000,000 and Denmark and Switzerland nearly 1,-750,000 bushels each. One of the tables shows the imports of the United Kingdom, Germany, France and Holland, and from what countries they supplied themselves. The bulk of the corn imported into the United Kingdom comes from Roumania and the United States, but Russia, Canada and Turkey in the order named are drawn upon Turkey in the order named are drawn upon to make up about one-fourth of the supply. Nearly half of that imported into Germany comes from the United States, and this country, with Roumania, supplies nearly four-fifths of Germany's total imports. Russia and Bulgaria also contribute a fair proportion to the Germany supply. America furnishes not more than one-fifth of the French supply, almost the whole of the four-fifths being made up from Roumania, Russia and Turkey in the order named. In supplying Holland, America is slightly in the lead, with Roumania a close second.

statements are based on figures for the last fiscal year, which, in every case, shows a marked advance over the year previous. One of the features to our own farmers is that while Argentina has been an important factor in the international wheat market, her exports of corn to European countries have fallen off greatly. They aggregated nearly 11,-000,000 bushels in 1893, and less than 2,000,-000 bushels in 1894. It will occasion surprise to some Americans that the little kingdom of Roumania furnished the principal corn-importing countries of Europe more corn than the United States. Roumania supplied 48,600,000 bushels, and the United States 46,000,000 bushels of that cereal for European consumption in the year 1894.

TO CIVILIZE INDIANS.

Plan for Putting Them at Work Among White Farmers.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.-The official views of the Secretary of the Interior and the Commissioner of Indian Affairs on the plan for extension of the Indian outing system are given in the following circular. to be issued in a few days to those in charge of reservations and schools by Commissioner Browning:

"Your attention is invited to the bene-fits accruing to Indians of both sexes by placing them at the service, although it be for a few months only, in families of farmers—the girls and women sharing in all the domestic duties of the family life, cooking, sewing, dairying, gardening, etc., and the boys and men in the farming, gardening and care of stock. While thus employed they acquire the English language and become self-reliant, and, through the small wages which they receive, learn the value of money and its proper use. Always provided that reputable, well-regulated families are selected, who will take a kindly interest in the training of their Indian inmates, these lessons of how to make a livelihood and a home on a small scale can thus be better taught than in scale can thus be better taught than in any large institution, with its iron-clad routine. The day is not far distant when Government support must be withdrawn from the Indians now receiving aid, and, like their white brethren, they will have to depend upon their own exertions for their living. It is, therefore, increasingly important that they should be learning how to support themselves by intelligent labor in civilized ways.

To this end, I am of the opinion that in many localities that system can, with great profit, be largely extended, and that it can be applied not only to pupils but also the adult Indians. You will endeavor to find suitable families, who will receive Indians in their homes, and to urge worthy Indians to avail themselves of such opportunities. If practicable, arrangements should be made to have boys and girls attend public schools during the winter

UNDER THE NEW TREATY. Regulations for the Return to This

Country of Chinese Laborers. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.-The regulations for the return to the United States of Chinese laborers, as provided for by the recent treaty between this country and China. have been completed by the Secretary of the Preasury. Under the regulations a Chinese laborer who has resided and registered in the United States and departed therefrom, and who may have a lawful wife. child or parent in this country, or property therein of the value of \$1,000, or debts of like amount due him, will permitted to return, provided, that before departing he deposit with the collector of customs of the district in which he resides, or with the nearest customs officer, a certificate of

registration from the internal revenue col-

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the way of the port of departure. The certified description of the Chinese will be filed in the office of the collector at the port of exit as a means of identification. His Selection Probably Due to Hi The return to the United States must be within one year of departure, unless sickness or other disability prevent, in which Intimate Acquaintance with Viceroy Li Hung Chang. event the facts are required to be certified by the Chinese consul at the port from which the Chinese may depart for the

A certificate will be issued to the laborer ENGLISH PAPER MISTAKEN

> THE GENERAL WILL NOT REPRE-SENT THIS COUNTRY IN ANY WAY.

Denial from Minister Kurino-No Redress for the Beath of Japanese Students Under Our Protection.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.-Ex-Secretary of State John W. Foster, who is about to start for the East to assist the Chinese peace commissioners in the negotiations for terms of peace, called at the State Department to-day and had an interview | with Secretary Gresham respecting his mis-

The employment of Mr. Foster is not the first time that foreigners have been called in to assist plenipotentiaries in matters like these, as both China and Japan heretofore have had recourse to such assistance. In the case of the latter government it is said that the questions of fac and detail were settled by the Japanese themselves, the foreigners merely being present in a legal and advisory capacity, Mr. Foster has lately returned to the United States from a trip around the world, during which he spent some time in China. He enjoys a quite intimate acquaintance with Chang, one of the plenipotentiaries who was formerly minister to the United States. Whether there will be a suspension of hostilities pending the meeting of representatives is not known at the Japanese legation here. The impression here seems to be that the Japanese troops are concentrating at New Chwang, which the Chinese forces have recently evacuated, and that the victorious army will continue its march in the direction of Peking. The question of an armistice after the plenipotentiaries have convened and pending an agreement as to terms of peace will depend on the powers which the Chinese embassadors possess. If they are simply plenipotentiaries ad referrendum and their recommendations have to be sent back to China for approval or disapproval, a long time necessarily must elapse before terms of peace can be concluded. If, on the other hand, their powers are conclusive, and the acts of the representatives binding or the Japanese will be disposed

grant larger concessions in the matter o a suspension of hostilities A cablegram reports the London West minster Gazette as saying: "It is generally believed that Americans took more than a kindly concern in the affairs of Corea. The envoy of the United States was once high in Corean favor. Then China was jealous, and that China now seeks the aid of the United States is one of those curiou transformations of the whirligin of time England and all the powers welcome the news of President Cleveland's prompt response to China's appeal. Mr. Foster's presence at Tokio should aid greatly the chances of a speedy settlement."

The Westminster Gazette would seem to be in error as to the actual facts in the case. Mr. Foster has not been appointed as a peace commissioner by President Cleveland. Mr. Foster desires it to be understood that he goes to Japan purely in a private capacity as an advisor of the Chise plempotentiaries. Minister Kurino, of Japan, said to-day,

Foster's selection as the representative of China in the peace negotiations has the approval of the Japanese government grew out of misapprehension. Kurino views the mission of General Foster as a private af-fair, wholly between him and China. The minister does not think it calls for an expression of approval or disapproval from himself or his government. Personally, he has never thought of protesting or objectchina's right to go where she chooses to select a confidential adviser. The attitude of indifference, he said, has apparently led to the erroneous conclusion that he has officially sanctioned the choice of General Foster. The minister says the selection of a private American citizen as China's adviser will in no way affect the peace negotiations Japan has her own purposes and policy and will proceed according to the judgment of her authorities without reference o who may appear as the representative of China. It is felt in some quarters, however, that the personal acquaintance heretofore existing between Mr. Matsu, the Japanese Min-ister of Foreign Affairs, and Mr. Foster may prove an embarrassment in concluding negotiations in which the parties will desire to feel entirely untrammeled. Mr. Kurino and General Foster are personal riends, and had talked together of the latter's proposed mission for China, although it had not been the minister's purpose thereby to give the indorsement of the Japanese government to Mr. Foster's mission.

THE PEACE COMMISSION.

Appointed by China. sioner Chang Yien Huan has left Tien-Tsin capture of a small war ship of Japan he offered about \$6,000. But, not content with this, he offered a further schedule of rewards to be paid to the Chinese who took Japanese soldiers or sailors, dead a alive. For the head of Japanese officers 20 taels were offered, and for the head of a Japanese private 100 taels was the reward. On this ground it has been asserted the Japanese government would refuse to receive Shao Yao Lien as a peace commissioner.

distant is the British war ship Firebrand position to observe the progress of hostili-ties on the Shang Tung promontory, and, if need be, to reinforce the Baltimore and Monocacy below Tien-Tsin.

Cannot Secure Redress. Minister Denby has made no demand on

No matter how it turns out, however, our government is not able to do more than express disapproval of the tine of action pursued, for the reason that the Japanese government itself has admitted that the men were spies and were properly surrendered to the Chinese.

PARIS, Dec. 28.-The secretary of the Japanese legation, here, M. Kato Tsunetada, says there is no truth in the announcement credited to the Shanghai Mercury, on Dec. 24, that the chief conditions on which Japan insists are a close China-Japanese alliance against European influ-ence, the development of Chinese trade and commerce by Japan, and Japan to under-take the effective reorganization of the Chinese army and navy.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28 .- Mr. Hastings, the Hawaiian charge d'affaires, received mail advices from Honolulu this morning confirmatory of the latest press advices from that country to the effect that the political situation is quiet and that the recent so-called monarchical conspiracy was a mat-ter of small importance. This mail was brought by the steamer Arawa, which left Honolulu on the 14th inst. and arrived at San Francisco on the 22d. It included all the Hawalian newspapers for a week prior to the 13th. Mr. Hastings said that his advices showed no war or rumors of war in Hawaii, and that there was no special ex-

The Kaiser Angry.

LONDON, Dec. 29.-A Berlin dispatch to the Daily News says that Emperor William is angry at the publicity given his offer to increase Chancellor Van Hohenlohe's salary. The matter was made public through anonymous letter to the papers, written on paper bearing a partly obliterated coat of arms. His Majesty has ordered the police to do their utmost to discover the writer of the letter.

hat on Christmas evening two men tried to lasso the driver of the mail car conveying the Prince of Wales's correspondence from the Kings Lynn railway terminus to Sandringham House, the residence of the Prince. The lasso grazed the driver, who beat his attackers off with his whip and reached Sandringham House safely with the

Harassed by Waziris.

LONDON, Dec. 28 .- A dispatch to the Times from Calcutta, dated yesterday, says that the Waziris continue to harass the British expeditionary corps, firing into the camp at night and pouring a hot fire on the British force from the bushes when column is on the march.

of the most important of the native princes of India, who has been under treatment here for diphtheria, is dead.

Lord Churchill Still Alive. LONDON, Dec. 28.-A bulletin issued to-

Cable Notes. The Brazilian government has ordered a nillion dollars' worth of war material from

A heavy gale is prevailing in the Irish sea and vessels are running for shelter. It is feared that some casualties will occur. In a duel growing out of a political dis-

Sixteen meetings of German Socialists

pointment of independent inspectors. money, without interest, to the poor law guardians, for the purchase of seed pota-

tion with the pierhead in Liverpool, thus Panama and Colon will, on the 1st decree has been issued ordering that on valerem be co Protests against this action have been made by the Panama Canal Company and the Panama Railroad Company.

Connecticut Man's Warning and Long Walk Through Snow.

man of fifty, got ready to go to bed at 11 o'clock last night. Then, without saying anything to his family, barefooted and bareheaded, clad only in his night clothes, he walked six miles through a foot of snow and in a blinding storm to the home of his uncle, Michael McEnerny, at Orange. He was found there by a searching party in the early morning. McEnerny was surprised at the appearance of his nephew and the more so when Connors explained the reason of it. He said that, as he was about to get into bed, an apparition appeared and told him that Mrs. McEnerny, his aunt, was seriously ill and so Enerny, his aunt, was seriously ill and so he had started at once for her home. At 10 o'clock, an hour before Connors left Derby, Mrs. McEnerny had a severe stroke of paralysis which will doubtless prove fatal. Connors is now confined to his bed and is not likely to recover from the effects of his long journey, exposed as he was to the elements.

WITHOUT A RUDDER.

The Steamship Sarnia Drifting Helpless on the Atlantic.

GLASGOW, Dec. 28,-The Anchor line steamer Anchoria, Captain Campbell, from New York, arrived here to-day and reported that in latitude 55 north, longitude 12 west, she sighted the British steamer Sarnia, Captain Coch, bound from Portland, Me., via Halifax, for Liverpool. The Sarnia had lost her rudder. The Anchoria passed hawsers to the Sarnia and towed her for two days. Severe weather was then encountered, the hawsers parted and the Anchoria was obliged to leave the Sarnia at a point about 120 miles west of Tory island. The Sarnia sailed from Portland for Liverpool on Dec. 13. She had on board about fifty cabin passengers, 1,100 sheep and a heavy general cargo.

Movements of Steamers. NEW YORK. Dec. 28.-Arrived: British Prince, from Hamburg.

ROTTERDAM, Dec. 28.—Arrived: Amsterdam, from New York. BREMERHAVEN, Dec. 28 .- Arrived: GLASGOW, Dec. 28 .- Arrived: Hibernian,

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Colored Boy Killed Instead of His Father-Double Tragedies in Various Parts of the Country.

NATCEHZ, Miss., Dec. 28.-Some days ago a negro named Sherman shot and killed Joe Lane, colored, in Morehouse parish, La., claiming that he acted in selfdefense. The next night a posse of colored men went to Sherman's house to capture him and, it is supposed, to lynch him. Scott Sherman, a thirteen-year-old boy, became frightened and ran from the house. The posse opened fire on him, killing him instantly. They claim they thought it was Sherman. Several of the posse have been arrested and they will all be prosecuted for killing the boy.

Double Murder. MILLINGTON, Mich., Dec. 28.-Matthew Palmer to-day cut his wife's throat and then cut his own. Both are dead.

There are six children in the family. After breakfast the older children went to work, leaving their parents and a younger brother and sister at home. Palmer left his son at the barn during the morning and went to the house. Later the son, on entering the house, found both bodies on the floor with their throats cuts. No evidence of a strug-gle appeared. The sister, who was in the house, knew nothing about the tragedy. The case is shrouded in mystery. Palmer and wife were supposed to be happy to-gether and in good circumstances finan-

Rivals Killed Each Other. BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 28.-Alex.

Williamson and Will Perry, two young men living at Coalburg, were suitors for the hand, of Nannie Bell. Williamson visited his sweetheart last night and found her with Perry. After words were passed, Perry fired on Williamson. The fire was returned, and Perry fell dead, while his rival fell in a dying condition, expiring within

Killed His Fiance and Himself. MONROEVILLE, Ala., Dec. 28.—News has been received here that at Hunter's Mill, Monroe county. Ross Matts, in a fit of jealous rage, shot and afterwards stabbed to death his fiance. Lizzie Smith. He then committed suicide by cutting his own throat. They were to have been married on New Year's day. Some trifling at-tention received by the girl from an old suitor precipitated the double tragedy.

Two-Sticks Hanged. DEADWOOD, S. D., Dec. 28.-Two-sticks, the Sloux Indian sentenced for a leading part in the murder of four cowboys Feb. 2, 1893, was hanged at 10:25 a. m. by United States Marshal Peemiller in the presence of fifty people. The Indian died easily and

A Motorman's Deed. NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 28 .- Peter Murdock, a motorman on the Carroll-street line, this evening, shot his wife and then blew out his own brains. The tragedy oc-curred at the home of the couple.

Proposed Job Printing Trust. AKRON, O., Dec. 28.—It is state here hat there is a project on foot to combine all of the larger printing houses of the country. If the deal is consummated many llions of dollars will be involved, the money coming not only from this country, but from Europe. The information comes from one of the directors of the mammoth Werner printing concern, of this city. He stated that the matter would be fully discussed at the annual meeting of the Werner company, to be held at Chicago during the early part of January.

Claims to Be Persecuted.

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—Charles K. Hardin, acquitted last October of the charge of stealing \$35.000 from the Adams Express Company, was arrested to-day on a fugitive warrant, he is charged with oreaning into a house in Kansas City in which he claimed his wife was concealed. Hardin declares that his recent arrests are the result of persecution by the Wells-Fargo Express Company. His claims of persecution are laughed at by the police.

Holiday Excursions via Penusylvania Dec. 24, 25 and 31, 1894, and Jan. 1, 1895, excursion tickets will be sold from ticket stations on the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg to points on those lines, valid to return until Jan. 2, 1895.

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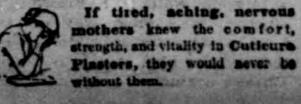
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the discretionary pool operator, has de-cided to return all the money placed in his hands by customers and which was not act-ually invested by him in grain deals. This statement was made authoritatively by J. Scott Ferguson, Irwin's chief counsel. Mr. Ferguson says that his client is morally. but not legally bound to return the money. He further says that not over \$10,000 to \$20,000 is represented in the suits against

Alensar Florist Offers artistic designs in Cut Flowers, Roses, etc., also wedding and reception decorations at reasonable prices, 30 West Washington street.

quired to exercise unusual care in all mat-ters pertaining to the issuance, cancellation and return to the department of such cer-Decision Against Stamp Albums. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.-Felix A. Reeve, Solicitor of the Treasury Department, who has been considering the question of the seizure of the postage stamp albums by the secret service men, on the ground that they were an infraction of the laws against counterfeiting, has finished his report on

the matter, and sent it to Chief Hazen, of the secret service. In an interviw to-night Mr. Reeve stated that he had partially sustained the government. He advised that the printing of the albums stopped and the plates seized and destroyed. recommends that the albums now in the hands of the dealers be allowed to be sold in the regular course of business. The decision is based on the facsimilies foreign stamps in the albums, as the United States dealers do not print such facsimilies of our own stamps. Dealers here say that the effect of the decision will be to transfer the manufacture of stamp albums to foreign countries, where no objection to such work is made.

lector and a full description of his family, property or debts. The papers must be accompanied by three photographs of the laborer, and the statement submitted by

n his departure, which will not contain

description of the person to whom issued,

but which will refer to the identification papers by numbers. This will obviate the

sale or exchange of certificates and render the identification of the returning Chinese more certain. Collectors at ports of exit

will be required to transmit to the Treas-

ury Department weekly reports of Chinese

leaving their respective ports, giving their names, local residence and occupation of

such persons. The collectors will also be required to cancel all papers of returning

Chinese and to forward the same to the

Treasury Department, where the records

are to be kept on forms specially provided

for the purpose. The certificates to be issued will be severally numbered and is-

sued by the department to collectors on requisition therefor, an account being kept in

each instance, and collectors will be re-

Howgate Arraigned. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28,-Capt. Henry W. Howgate, the ex-disbursing omcer the signal service, was arraigned, to-day, before the District Supreme Court on three of the indictments against him. His counsel, Messrs. Jere Wilson and A. S. Worth-ington, pleaded irregular proceedings by the grand jury. The government's de-murrer to this plea, filed by District At-torney Birney, was argued before Judge McComas during 'the afternoon. Howgate pleaded that the indictments be quashed on the ground that the United States grand jurors considered statements made by persons not sworn as witnesses nor otherwise qualified to testify, and that no one of them had any personal knowledge of the

matters considered. Number of Income Tax Collectors. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.-Commissioner of Internal Revenue Miller has decided that It will require the appointment of 252 extra deputy collectors of internal revenue to col-

lect the income tax. Their salaries will range from \$600 to \$2,000 per annum. Each of the two Indiana districts is allowed adtitional deputies, who will be appointed on the recommendation of the collectors of the respective districts. Commissioner Miller told the Journal correspondent to-day that while the number for Indiana had not been definitely fixed it would probably be about Blaine Residence to Be Torn Down. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.-An opera house is to be erected upon the site of the Blaine residence on Lafayette square, in which

ing having been issued by the District commissioners to-day. The Blaine property has been leased for a term of one hundred years to Wood & Tavelle, Chicago. The historic mansion now occupying the ground will be torn down, the work beginning about Jan. 1. The opera house is to cost \$250,000. The new building will be constructed so as to allow a roof garden, the first of the kind in Washington. Walked Off with the Postoffice. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28 .- The Postmaster-general was informed to-day that one of his postmasters in Oklahoma had picked

the statesman died, a permit for the build-

up a postoffice and run off with it and the citizens ask that they be provided with another office and postmaster. They state that Postmaster Cole, at Cedar, in Washita county, moved the office three miles out of town and located it on his farm, where it would be handy to his business. The citizens petition that John King be appostmaster to take the place held

by Cole and also ask that they be pro-vided with an office in town. Tariff Ruling by Olney. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.-Attorney-general Olney, in an opinion sent to-day to the Secretary of the Treasury, holds that an export tax imposed by a foreign government on merchandise subject here to an ad valorem rate of duty, or to a duty based upon or regulated in any manner by the value of the merchandise, is not to be re-

garded as one of the "costs charged and expenses" referred to in Section 10 of the customs administrative act of June 10. General Notes. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28.-The treasury cash to-day is \$152,408,561, of which \$88,599.

\$1,450,000 withdrawn to-day and \$300,000 withdrawn yesterday, but not heretofore re-The Secretary of the Navy has prepared a letter reprimanding Captain Glass, of the cruiser Cincinnati, for not being at his post when that vessel was passing near Execution rock last fall and struck bottom.

638 is gold, from which must be deducted

The President has approved the act to establish a national military park at he battlefield of Shiloh.

YOUNG DODGE DROWNED.

Foster Cousin of "Gail Hamilton" Who Caused Much Trouble. PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Dec. 28 .-News has been received that ex-Lieut. James E. Dodge, a dashing young infantry officer, who was stationed at Fort Vancouver and Townsend in 1890 and 1892, was accidentally drowned while yachting. He was the adopted son of a prominent wealthy family residing at Hastings, Neb., and the foster cousin of "Gail Hamilton" (Abigail Dodge), the Washington newspaper correspondent. In early youth he was a wild lad and caused his family much sorrow and the expenditure of considerable money. Some years ago he enlisted in the army as a private and through the influence of Miss Hamilton, who was a close friend of the Blaine family, was quickly promoted to a lieutenancy. He was a great favorite among the women. After he came to Port Townsend this sort of popularity came near costing him his life. A wronged husband detected him in a compromising situation with his wife and covered him with a revolver. Dodge took the matter coolly and convinced the husband, who was a prominent liquor merchant, that his suspicions were unfounded. Subsequently Dodge was transfered to Fort Leavenworth, whither he went to Port Townsend. Shortly afterward he suddenly deserted, taking his wife, and a few days later was arrested at Hannibal, Mo., in the act of robbing a jewelery store. Through the influence of Miss Hamfilton he twice secured a new trial and was finally acquitted. The War Department was satisfied to give Dodge a dishonorable discharge without a court-martial. Dodge dropped out of sight and the next heard of him was his accident.

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ter. Admiral Carpenter has sent a report to the Navy Department, in which he incloses a photograph of the vessel in the process of being encased in earth walls and roof, looking much like a turtle in winter quarters. A couple of hundred yards likewise encased in mud, with a roof of heavy matting. The Petrel, according to the plans of Admiral Carpenter, will be turned into a fortress, her deck works being covered by an adobe roof and Gatling guns mounted in specially erected tops. In view of the evacuation of New Chwang by the Chinese, just reported, and the approach of the Japanese army on that point, these precautions are helieved at the Navy these precautions are believed, at the Navy Department, to be well taken. The United States Steamship Yorktown arrived to-day at Chefoo; from Yokohama. At this point she will be in advantageous

the Chinese government for satisfaction for the killing of the two Japaese students as spies, reported, nor is the government in a position to make any such demand, which is usually construed to mean an indemnity. About six weeks ago the minister did ask the Chinese government to explain how it came to pass that these students were executed before his return to China from the United States, when the camese minister at Washington had promised, in behalf of his government, that their cases should be kept in abeyance until Mr. Denby arrived on the scene. No answer has yet been received from the Chinese government, but it is expected that it will shift the blame on some provincial governor who acted without authority from the imperial government. About six weeks ago the minister did ask

Charges Against One of the Envoy

for Chee Foo, and is expected here on Jan. 6, when he will join Peace Commis sioner Shao Yao Lien and go to Tokio. Chang Yien Huan is president of the board of revenue, a member of the Tsung Li Yamen and was Chinese minister to Washington a few years ago. Shao Yao Lien is acting Governor of the Chinese province of Huan. He was formerly Governor of Formosa, and while occupying that post he offered a reward of about \$10,000 for the destruction of a big Japan-ese war ship, and for the destruction or

War Ships in Novel Winter Quarters. WASHINGTON, Dec. 28 .- The little gunboat Petrel is icebound at New Chwang, China, and has been laid up for the win-

WASHINGTON, Dec. 28 .- United States

Not Japan's Terms.

TROUBLE IN BRAZIL. Army Officers in Revolt Against President Moraes. MONTEVIDEO, Dec. 28.-Rio de Janeiro is reported to be in a state of panic. The

troops refuse to leave the city for the south. President Moraes has discovered that the army is devoted to Peixoto. The principal officers refuse to assume command to take the field in Rio Grande do Sul, and the whole county seems on the brink of rebellion again. More than two hundred officers have been arrested and imprisoned in surrounding forts under heavy guard. It is rumored that an attempt will be made by insubordinate military leaders to rescue their comrades from prison. Precaulions have been taken to prevent this. President Moraes is afraid to act energetically and order Peixoto's arrest, it is said, fearing to precipitate a serious

No Excitement in Hawaii.

citement over the recent arrest of Bush and his party for alleged conspiracy against

Cowboy Methods in England. LONDON, Dec. 28.-The Daily News says

The Maharaja of Mysore Dead. CALCUTTA, Dec. 28.-Chamrajendra Wandiar Bahadur, the Maharaja of Mysore, one

night states that Lord Randolph Churchill passed a quiet day. He continues to take a little nourishment and his strength fairly maintained.

pute, fought near Buenos Ayres yesterday. Colonel Sarmiento killed Dr. Luciovicinte

have ratified the agreement recently made for the settlement of the boycott against The miners' congress at Essen has adopted resolutions in favor of an eight-hour day, uniform laws and labor regulations in all German districts, and the ap-The London Daily News says: With a view to averting a potato famine in Ire-land the government has decided to advance

The administration of the German navy has forbidden the use of wood in the build-ing, equipment or furnishing of men-of-war. The experience in the Yalu engagement showed that wood was immediately set on

The London & Northwestern Railway Company has decided to construct a short line, placing London in direct communicagiving the latter port the same advantage as the Southampton route to America. January next, cease to be free ports. and after that date a duty of 10 per cent.

FOR PSYCHOLOGISTS TO EXPLAIN.

DERBY, Conn., Dec. 28.-John Connors,

CHICAGO, Dec. 28.—William Ranguth, secretary, and Henry Blettner, vice president of the Atlas Loan Company, now in the hands of a receiver, were sent to jall by Judge Payne to-day for contempt of court. Ranguth was sentenced for four months and Blettner for thirty days. The charge against them was that of releasing a trust deed after the received was anpointed.